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SUBJ: HUNGARIAN MEDIA REPLAYS MOSCOW RADIATION STORY

1. HUNGARIAN PRESS FEBRUARY 19 REPRINTED IZVESTIA
ARTICLE ON RADIATION SCARE IN AMEMBASSY MOSCOW. ARTICLES
STATE THAT THERE HAVE BEEN "SENSATIONAL REPORTS" IN U.S.
PRESS ON ALLEGED RADIATION LEVELS IN THE EMBASSY BUILDING.

2. PRESS REPEATED IZVESTIA CLAIM THAT STORIES WERE
COMPLETELY FALSE AND THAT THERE IS ONLY NORMAL ELECTRIC-
MAGNETIC FIELD DUE TO MOSCOW INDUSTRY AND EMBASSY RADIO
ANTENNAS.

3. ARTICLES WERE CARRIED ON INSIDE PAGES AND DID NOT
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